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SUBJ: VENEZUELA AND PANAMA SIGN AIR AGREEMENT

1. LOCAL PRESS REPORTS THAT THE CIVIL AVIATION DIRECTORS OF PANAMA AND VENEZUELA SIGNED A BILATERAL AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT ON JUNE 20, 1974 SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION BY EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN THE FOREIGN MINISTRIES OF THE TWO COUNTRIES.

2. ACCORDING TO THE PRESS RELEASE, THE TREATY PROVIDES FOR:

- A. DEFINITIVE AND OFFICIAL STANDARDS FOR AIR OPERATIONS WITH THE OBJECTIVE OF PROMOTING INTENSELY THE DEVELOPMENT OF AVIATION BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES;
- B. ADOPTION OF A NEW CHART OF AIRLINE ROUTES WHICH MAY PERMIT A GREATER FREQUENCY OF FLIGHTS BETWEEN THE TWO NATIONS;
- C. REGULAR EXCHANGE OF OFFICIAL STATISTICS WHICH WILL AUTHENTICALLY DETERMINE THE ADVANTAGES OF THIS NEW AND GREATER AIR TRAFFIC; AND,
- D. PROMULGATION OF A PERMANENT AND EFFECTIVE POLICY OF CONSULTATION AND RECIPROCAL COOPERATION FOR COMBINED SUPPORT FOR THE AVIATION INDUSTRY. THIS NEW POLICY BETWEEN THE TWO NATIONS WILL PERMIT DEVELOPMENT OF DIFFERENT ASPECTS OF CIVIL AVIATION.

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COMMENT: ACCORDING TO LOCAL OBSERVERS ENGAGED IN CIVIL

AVIATION, THE AGREEMENT PRIMARILY FORMALIZES CIVIL
AVIATION ARRANGEMENTS ALREADY IN EFFECT BETWEEN THE TWO
COUNTRIES.
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